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Aut inveniam viam, aut faciam.

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THE NEWS OF THE WEEK.

A Daily Resume of Important Happenings.

Prospects are said to be favorable for a settlement in a few days of the strike in the Northwestern Colorado coal fields.

John K. Duke, the defaulting cashier of the Royal Building and Loan Association, of Portsmouth, O., killed himself rather than face disgrace.

A big demand for Kentucky corn has been created by the re-entrance of Baltimore as a chief export city. Immense shipments are being made from Louisville at present.

Grover Cleveland has written a letter to the editor of the Brooklyn Eagle, in which he says that his determination not to again become the nominee of his party for the presidency is "unalterable and conclusive."

The State Board of valuation and Assessment fixed the franchise assessment of the Louisville and Nashville Railroad Company for this year at \$8,185,000, which means taxes to the State in the sum of \$40,920.22.

Dr. W. C. Roberts, president of Centre College of Central University, died at his home in Danville last week. He was a theological student and educator of national reputation. His remains were taken to New Jersey for burial.

Chicago detectives, assisted by railroad men, farmers and laborers, captured Peter Neidermeyer, Harvey Van Dine and Emil Doski near Liverpool, Ind., after an exciting chase. Before being captured the three young outlaws killed T. Z. Bovee, a railroad brakeman; fatally wounded Joseph Driscoll, a detective, and shot Matthew Zimmer, another detective, in the head and arm. All three of the outlaws were slightly wounded before they gave up the fight and surrendered. They are wanted for a series of murders and robberies. Including the brakeman they shot they are said to have killed eight men.

Advices received at Washington are to the effect that excitement still prevails in Bogota, but that no troops have yet been enlisted for the invasion of the isthmus. There is much speculation in Washington as to how Gen. Reyes will be received in official circles and what his mission will be. At the State Department not much credence given to Gen. Reyes' statement about raising an army of 100,000 men to subjugate the isthmus, as it is tacitly understood that the United States will not allow troops to land either by land or water.

It is announced that the strike in the Northern Colorado coal fields is settled and that the miners will return to work.

A plan is now on foot by the people of Lexington to make the State Fair a permanent institution at that place. They offer to give sixty acres of ground if the State will support the project.

The State Election Commission met Monday at Frankfort to hear arguments of attorneys for Edwards and White against awarding to Dr. Hunter the certificate of election to Congress in the Eleventh district.

Peter Neidermeyer, one of the bandits arrested by the Chicago police last week after an exciting man hunt in Indiana, declares that he assisted in the Illinois Central train robbery near Wickliff, Ky., several years ago. He also declares he was one of the men who attempted to hold up a B. and O. train at Edgemoor Ind., four years ago. Neidermeyer is confessing to so many crimes that the Chicago police are disposed to doubt many of his assertions.

The report of Fourth Assistant Postmaster General Bristow on the scandals in the Post-office Department was given to the press last night in Washington. Accompany-

ing the report is a review of the cases by President Roosevelt. The report goes into extensive details of the operations of Tyner, Beavers and Machen, and declares that millions of dollars have been wasted through a "system of organized corruption" that began in 1893. The loss to the government, Mr. Bristow says, cannot be estimated with any degree of accuracy, but the amount received by the perpetrators of the frauds, he asserts, will aggregate between \$300,000 and \$400,000. The report severely criticizes the official conduct of Perry S. Heath during his term as Postmaster General.

Revolution imminent.
A sure sign of approaching revolt and serious trouble in your system is nervousness, sleeplessness or stomach upsets. Electric Bitters will quickly dismember the troublesome causes. It never fails to tone the stomach, regulate the kidneys and bowels, stimulate the liver, and clarify the blood. Run down systems benefit particularly and all the usual attending aches vanish under its searching and thorough effectiveness. Electric Bitters is only 50c, and that's returned if it don't give perfect satisfaction. Guaranteed by A. M. Hughes Drug Store.

Two thousand members of the Meat Workers' Union in Indianapolis Thursday voted down a proposition to strike for the adoption of wages.

A Costly Mistake.
Blunders are sometimes very expensive. Occasionally life itself is the price of a mistake, but you'll never be wrong if you take Dr. King's New Life Pills for Dyspepsia, Dizziness, Headache, Liver or Bowel troubles. They are gentle yet thorough. 25c. at A. M. Hughes Drug Store.

The fever epidemic at Butler, Pa., is increasing. Three deaths occurred Thursday. Citizens have raised a relief fund of \$6,200.

A Frightened Horse.
Running like mad down the street dumping the occupants, or a hundred other accidents, are every day occurrences. It behooves everybody to have a reliable Salve handy and there's none as good as Bucklen's Arnica Salve. Burns, Cuts, Sores, Eczema and Fles, disappear quickly under its soothing effect. 25c. at A. M. Hughes Drug Store.

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240 acres, one mile from Cornutt station, 3 miles below Louisa. Adjoins Buchanan farm. 200 acres cleared, 60 acres in grass; all in good condition. 2 dwellings, 3 barns, good outbuildings, good fencing, plenty of rail and board timber, good coal vein, some fruit, of most all kinds. 1 pair stock scales, plenty of good water, country road through the farm. Land nice and smooth, not an acre that cannot be cultivated. For further particulars apply to BIG SANDY NEWS, Louisa, or H. H. Cornutt, Kinross, Ky.

Coughs, Colds and Constipation.
Few people realize when taking cough medicines other than Foley's Honey and Tar, that they contain opiates which are constipating besides being unsafe, particularly for children. Foley's Honey and Tar contains no opiates, is safe and sure and will not constipate.

A kidney or bladder trouble can always be cured by using Foley's Kidney Cure in time. Louisa Drug Company.

Men Wanted.
Fifty men wanted at once to work on railroad.
KINROSS & McCLOSKEY, Kinross, Ky.

A Timely Topic.
At this season of coughs and colds it is well to know that Foley's Honey and Tar is the greatest throat and lung remedy. It cures quickly and prevents serious results from a cold. Louisa Drug Company.

Apples Coming.
A car load of choice winter apples, Baldwins, Greenings, etc., will be on sale soon at Eloise store. Eloise Improvement Co.

Better Than a Plaster.
A piece of flannel dampened with Chamberlain's Pain Balm and bound on the effected parts, is better than a plaster for a lame back and for pains in the side or chest. Pain Balm has no superior as a liniment for the relief of deep seated, muscular and rheumatic pains. For sale by A. M. Hughes.

Have you seen those delicious Doughnuts at the Louisa Bakery?

CONSUMPTION.

The Modern Crusade Working Wonders Against This Dread Disease.

[The following is an extract from an address made recently by Irving Fisher, Professor of Political Economy at Yale University and Secretary of the New Haven County Anti-Tuberculosis Association.]

Personally, I am interested in tuberculosis, as one who has had it and been cured of it. But I am persuaded that the interest in it should not be confined to those who have had it, nor to the medical profession. There should be a general interest in the subject, for several reasons. In the first place, tuberculosis is a general disease. No other disease except pneumonia has any death rate like it. The mortality from tuberculosis equals that from peritonitis, appendicitis, scarlet fever, typhoid fever, diphtheria, grip, cancer, and smallpox combined. In this country one person in nine dies of it; and of the deaths which occur between the ages of fifteen and forty-five one-third are due to tuberculosis. In Germany between the ages of twenty and twenty-five almost half the deaths are from tuberculosis.

Not only is the prevalence of the disease shown by the number who die of it, but there is evidence that "latent" tuberculosis occurs in still greater frequency among those who never die of it, and who usually never even know that they have it. Nagel concludes an extended investigation with the statement that practically every adult has latent tuberculosis. This means that each of us has encysted in his lungs a certain number of bacilli which might cause the disease but which usually give no trouble because kept under control by good health or by the firmness of the growth in which they are incased.

Not only is consumption a common disease, but it is an infectious disease, and this is another reason why the public should be interested in it. It used to be thought that consumption was the type of a hereditary disease, and only specified classes of persons could have it. As a matter of fact, any kind of physique may be attacked. Persons with small chests and who inherit a small "resisting power" are more apt to succumb to the disease than others, but no one is immune. For instance a case is reported even in Colorado of a strong man who caught it by occupying a tent with a consumptive who expectorated his infection upon the floor. The disease, however, is communicable in practically only one way—through the expectoration, and this is dangerous only when dry and pulverized. Moist sputum is harmless (unless coughed into the face or inhaled into an open wound or communicated through a kiss on the mouth), but when a mass of sputum, containing millions of bacilli, is deposited in the corridors of the post-office or railway station, and becoming dry, is trodden upon, the dust thus formed distributes these millions of bacilli through the atmosphere, and they are inhaled by all who breathe it. Outdoors the infection soon becomes too dilute to be harmful except to the weakest systems, for a healthy body is a germ-killing apparatus. The disease spreads through infected buildings. Dr. Biggs, in New York, has shown that in particular tenement-houses there have been sometimes over a dozen successive cases.

A third reason why every one ought to know something about consumption is that it is so easily preventable. In fact, it is only because of the general ignorance and indifference about it that this fleshly disease is allowed to have its way among us. It is prevented in two ways: first, by destruction of the bacilli, and secondly, by fortifying the system to resist these. Consumptives should have paper spit-cups, which, with the expectoration, should be burned daily; apartments which have been occupied by consumptives should be reported to the local board of health and properly disinfected. Spitting upon the floor should be prevented. But ordinances against spitting, to be effective and enforced, must first be sustained by an educated public sentiment.

Our most important and immediate resource, however, is in defensive rather than offensive warfare. If we keep "in condition," we can safely resist the attacks not only of tubercle bacilli but of other germs as well. Not only is consumption a preventable disease, it is now known to be a curable disease. But it can be cured only provided it is

taken in time, and provided the proper hygiene is adopted. If it is not taken in time, it soon reaches the incurable stage. Consumption is not a self-limiting disease, but a parasitic disease. It begins at some small point like a fire in a house, and, like the fire, can be smothered and put out if it does not get too much headway. But when once beyond a certain point it cannot be extinguished. Consequently, an early diagnosis is one of the important medical questions of the day, and fortunately the medical profession is gradually waking up to the fact that it has not been diagnosing this disease early enough. It has depended too much on "physical signs," and too little on microscopic examination of the sputum. Free examination is now provided by most city boards of health, and ought to be availed of by everyone who has a persistent cough with yellow sputum.

It should be observed that tuberculosis always has been curable. But until recently the early and curable stage of the disease was not recognized as real consumption, but "only a threatening." In the light of modern knowledge it is practically certain that Napoleon, Goethe, Von Moltke, Cecil Rhodes, Emerson, and a host of other prominent personages, were cases of cure. I have a long list of living men and women who were cured years ago, though few of their acquaintances know of it. The agency by which cure was effected was once thought to be solely "good climate." But Brehmer in Germany conceived the idea, which today is almost universally accepted, that climate is of secondary importance, and that it is the out-of-door life and other hygienic conditions, rather than climate, which perform the cure. He therefore started a sanatorium, in 1859, having first cured himself of the disease in this way. He put his patients through this treatment and kept them out-of-doors in the daytime as long as the weather was pleasant. One of his patients, Dr. Detweiler, afterwards started a sanatorium of his own. Our modern sanatorium treatment all comes from him. Detweiler went further than Brehmer in that he paid no attention to the weather. Patients now even sleep out-of-doors all the year round.

In this country the first physician to take up the Detweiler method was Dr. E. L. Trudeau. He has gradually developed the Adirondack Cottage Sanitarium, an institution on Detweiler principles. After Dr. Koch in 1884 discovered the bacillary nature of the disease, Dr. Trudeau also established a laboratory which has been the pioneer of American institutions for the scientific study of the disease. Dr. Gardner, of Colorado Springs, was one of the first to have patients sleep out-of-doors. His results were astonishingly good, and this method is now widely employed. The patient sleeps

out even in the winter. With few exceptions, the colder the weather the better the patient likes it and the greater the benefit he derives. I have myself slept out when the thermometer registered ten degrees below zero, Fahrenheit. Last winter at the Adirondack Cottage Sanitarium, six patients, including one lady, slept out (with marked benefit) even when the mercury reached thirty below. A woolen head-gear with opening for the nose, warm night clothes, woolen sheets, not many blankets over one, but two or more warm mattresses (cotton, wool, or feathers underneath) and that is all that is necessary to make one comfortable and luxurious.

(Continued next week)

MILIONAIRE'S POOR STOMACH.
The worn-out stomach of the over-fed millionaire is often paralyzed in the public prints as a horrible example of the evils attendant on the possession of great wealth. But millionaires are not the only ones who are afflicted with bad stomachs. The proportion is far greater among the toilers. Dyspepsia and indigestion are rampant among these people, and they suffer far worse torture than the millionaire unless they avail themselves of a standard medicine like Green's August Flower, which has been a favorite household remedy for all stomach troubles for over thirty-five years. August Flower rouses the torpid liver, thus creating appetite and insuring perfect digestion. It tones and vitalizes the entire system and makes life worth living, no matter what your station. Trial bottles, 25c; regular size, 75c.

There is great excitement over the new gold field in Apache canyon in the Cobol mountains east of Hillsboro, N. M. News first came in less than a week ago and now 500 persons are on the ground.

CLIMATIC CURES.
The influence of climatic conditions in the cure of consumption is very much overdrawn. The poor patient and the rich patient, too, can do much better at home by proper attention to food digestion, and a regular use of Germen Syrup. Free expectoration in the morning is made certain by German Syrup, so is a good night's rest and the absence of that weakening cough and debilitating night sweat. Restless nights and the exhaustion due to coughing, the gasping danger and dread of the consumptive, can be prevented or stopped by taking German Syrup liberally and regularly. Should you be able to go to a warmer climate, you will find that the thousands of consumptives there, the few who are benefited and regain strength are those who use German Syrup. Trial bottles 25c; regular size, 75c.

Five hundred policemen will guard President Roosevelt while he attends the funeral of his uncle in New York.

A Timely Suggestion.
This is the season of the year when the prudent and careful housewife replenishes her supply of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. It is sure to be needed before the winter is over, and results are much more prompt and satisfactory when it is kept at hand and given as soon as the cold is contracted and before it has become settled in the system. In almost every instance a severe cold may be ward off by taking this remedy freely as soon as the first indication of the cold appears. There is no danger in giving it to children for it contains no harmful substance. It is pleasant to take—both adults and children like it. Buy it and you will get the best. It always cures. For sale by A. M. Hughes.

A steamer arriving at Victoria, B. C., from the Orient, brings news that China is collecting a war fund and otherwise preparing for hostilities with Russia.

Kodol Dyspepsia Cure.
Digests all classes of food, tones and strengthens the stomach and digestive organs. Cures Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Stomach Troubles, and makes rich red blood, health and strength. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure rebuilds worn-out tissues, purifies, strengthens and sweetens the stomach. Gov. G. W. Atkinson, of W. Va., says: "I have used a number of bottles of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure and have found it to be a very effective and, indeed, a powerful remedy for stomach ailments. I recommend it to my friends." Sold by the Louisa Drug Company.

Oberlin M. Carter, former Captain of Engineers, U. S. A., was released from the Federal prison at Fort Leavenworth Saturday after he took a train for Chicago.

A Thousand Dollars' Worth of Good.
A. H. Thurnes, a well known coal operator of Buffalo, O., writes: "I have been afflicted with kidney and bladder trouble for years, passing gravel or stones with excruciating pain. I got no relief from medicines until I began taking Foley's Kidney Cure, then the result was surprising. A few doses started the brick dust like fine stones and now I have no pain across my kidneys and I feel like a new man. It has done me a \$1000 worth of good." Louisa Drug Company.

Good For Children.
The pleasant to take and harmless One Minute Cough Cure gives immediate relief in all cases of Cough, Croup and LaGrippe because it does not pass immediately into the stomach, but takes effect right at the seat of the trouble. It draws out the inflammation, heats and soothes and cures permanently by enabling the lungs to contribute pure life-giving and life-sustaining oxygen to the blood and tissues. Dr. Armstrong of Delta, Tex., prescribes it daily and says there is no better cough remedy made. Sold by the Louisa Drug Company.

A POPULAR ACTOR

Becomes a Gallant Soldier and Goes to the Front.



Mortimer Kaphan.

Mr. Mortimer Kaphan, who organized the soldier-actors' company which went to the front, says in a letter to Dr. Hartman in regard to Peruna: "I especially appreciate Peruna at this season, when I am liable to colds, coughs and other catarrhal affections. Peruna is such an admirable medicine for these complaints that I shall not fail to make free use of it whenever the slightest symptom of cold annoys me. All people of my profession have a great dread of a cold, as it generally entirely disables them from their duties. The actor depends much upon the clearness of voice that a cough or cold is an unmitigated calamity. I am told by members of my profession that Peruna is a reliable remedy for la grippe." Mr. Kaphan's address is 105 West 98th street, New York City.

A book of lectures on "Winter Catarrh" will be sent free by the Peruna Medicine Co., Columbus, Ohio.

NEW PREMIUM OFFER.

Big Sandy News Will Distribute More Gifts Amongst Its Subscribers.

On Feb. 25th, 1904, we will distribute the following five premiums:

1. Ladies' or Gent's Fine Watch and Chain.
2. Sewing Machine.
3. Latest Webster's International Dictionary, price \$12.50; or 15-vol. set Chas. Dickens' works, bound in cloth; or 12-vol. set Sir Walter Scott's Waverley novels.
4. One set each of Rogers Bros. silver knives, forks and tea spoons.
5. Fancy \$10 enameled iron clock, 8-day.

A number is given with each dollar paid on subscription between Aug. 24th and the date above mentioned. The decision as to the five persons who will receive the gifts will then be reached by the same plan that was used by the News in making the award of the fine gold watch last May. Pay up and take advantage of this opportunity to get something for nothing.

It is understood that Lord Roberts will shortly resign as Commander-in-Chief of the British army.

How to Prevent Croup.

It will be good news to the mothers of small children to learn that croup can be prevented. The first sign of croup is hoarseness. A day or two before the attack the child becomes hoarse. This is soon followed by a peculiar rough cough. Give Chamberlain's Cough Remedy freely as soon as the child becomes hoarse, or even after the rough cough appears, and it will dispel all symptoms of croup. In this way all danger and anxiety may be avoided. This remedy is used by many thousands of mothers and has never been known to fail. It is, in fact, the only remedy that can always be depended upon and that is pleasant and safe to take. For sale by A. M. Hughes.

One fireman was killed and seven others were injured in Cincinnati Thursday while fighting a fire which destroyed a cigar box machine factory. The property loss was \$60,000.

One Hundred Dollars a Box.
Is the value H. A. Tisdale, Sumner, S. C., places on DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. He says: "I had the piles for 20 years. I tried many doctors and medicines, but all failed except DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve. It cured me." It is a combination of the healing properties of Witch Hazel with anti-septics and emollients; relieves and permanently cures blind bleeding, itching and protruding piles, sores, cuts, bruises, eczema, salt rheum and all skin diseases. Sold by the Louisa Drug Company.

The efforts of Alfred Dreyfus to secure a revision of his sentence have been crowned with success. The French Minister of Justice has submitted the dossier to a commission for examination.

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Westward.	Stations	Eastward
39 37		36 38
05:00	Whitehouse	11:37:15
25:20	Richardson	11:05:03
	Peach Orchard	10:54
1:30:25	Richardson	10:37:03
1:40:35	Georges Cr.	10:27:43
1:45:38	Rise	10:24:39
1:55:59	Gallup	10:18:28
2:05:35	Chapman	10:10:25
2:05:59	Torchlight	10:05:30
2:11:06	Tunnel Sid.	9:58:13
2:17:12	Eloise	9:54:09
2:25:20	Louisa	9:50:05
2:37:29	Potter	9:28:51
2:39:31	Fuller	9:26:49
2:44:36	Catalpa	9:21:54
2:49:41	Cumtut	9:26:53
2:56:48	Buchanan	9:19:32
3:00:53	Kavanaugh	9:15:35
3:05:57	Burgess	9:10:38
3:10:02	Lockwood	9:05:18
3:16:08	Sav. Brk.	8:59:19
3:28:20	Hamp. June	8:47:00
3:35:25	Cattletsburg	8:42:55
3:50:40	Ashland	8:30:40

Trains 87 and 88 are local freight trains and do not carry passengers.
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Schedule in effect Aug. 30, 1903.

Pullman Buffet Sleepers between Columbus and Roanoke, and between Bluefield and Cincinnati without change.

Leave Kenova central time, West Bound.
No. 3, daily, 8:55 a.m.—arrives at Columbus 8:30 a.m. Pullman buffet car Roanoke to Columbus; arrive Cincinnati via Portsmouth 10:00 a.m. Pullman Sleepers to Cincinnati.
No. 33, 6:30 a.m.—daily except Sunday. Arrives Columbus 11:25 a.m. Parlor Car Kenova to Columbus.
3:10 p.m.—No. 11, daily except Sunday. Arrives Columbus 7:55 p.m.; on Sunday this train has no connection beyond Portsmouth for Columbus; arrives Cincinnati 8:30 p.m. via Portsmouth & Cincinnati division. Parlor Car Kenova to Cincinnati.

Leave Kenova Central Time, East Bound.
11:00 a.m.—No. 4, daily, Norfolk express for Roanoke, Lynchburg, Richmond and Norfolk. Pullman sleepers Columbus to Roanoke without change.
8:30 a.m.—No. 2, daily, for Bluefield, Peachmont, Roanoke, Lynchburg, and all intermediate stations.
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Democratic Ticket.

For President in 1904:

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—or—

SEN. ARTHUR P. GORMAN.

Representatives Smith, James, Stanley and Hopkins, of the Kentucky delegation, have engaged permanent quarters for the regular session at the Carlo flats, Sixteen and 1 streets.

Congressman Kehoe has been assigned to the Committee on Foreign Affairs and Expenditures in Agricultural Department. Mr. Hopkins is on the Invalid Pension Committee.

The State Election Commission has awarded to Dr. Godfrey Hunter the certificate of election to Congress in the Eleventh district. Dr. Hunter left last night for Washington, and it is probable that no further contest will be made by D. C. Edwards.

The News is publishing another article about the prevention and cure of consumption. It is from a prominent man who has been cured of the awful disease, and it is therefore practical and to the point, and comprehensible to everybody. We believe no greater service can be done for our people than to convey full information as to the true nature of tuberculosis, to the end that it may be cured, avoided, prevented, and finally eradicated. Its insidious nature makes it one of the most deadly foes of the human race. There are many old theories about the disease that need to be abandoned. The fact that some member or members of a family have died of consumption should not be accepted as sealing a like fate for all the others of that household. The articles we are publishing explain how to prevent the contagion that is causing the slow but certain death of entire families. Every consumptive owes it to his or her family and friends to use every possible precaution against scattering the germs of this terrible malady.

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CADMUS.

Mrs. Mollie Vanhorn, of Webbville, has been visiting here.

Miss Dossie Rice, of Fallsburg, passed through here enroute to Jettie.

J. B. Hall called on Miss Ollie Riffe Sunday.

W. V. Roberts made a flying trip to Catlettsburg last week.

Mrs. Mattie Riley visited home folks last week.

Mrs. Clara Riley is on the sick list.

Ben Vanhorn is hauling logs for W. O. Roberts.

The miners can't supply the demand for coal since the snow.

John and El. Short are hauling coal.

Logan Cooksey was shopping in Fallsburg.

Miss Nellie Conley has returned home to spend holidays.

C. B. Stewart purchased a fine horse from W. V. Roberts.

Bob Cooksey, of Dingess, W. Va., is visiting friends at this place.

Blue, Black Eye.

Ayer's

One dose of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral at bedtime prevents night coughs of children. No croup. No bronchitis. A

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Night Coughs

Keep the bowels open with one of Ayer's Pills at bedtime, just one.

Death of Dr. Callihan.

PRESTONSBURG.

A few days ago our dear Dr. C. S. Callihan of this place, after a brief illness passed into the Great Beyond, from whence no traveler returns. I was shocked on hearing of his sudden departure. I have known him from 1868 up to his death. He had been my family physician ever since he came here. "This country will miss him" is the expression all over the country. The people are indebted to him for what he has done for them while he was able to ride he went to all classes, pay or no pay. After years of hardships he became so disabled he could not go so much. He had a large practice in his active days and a good practice up to his death.

He leaves a lot of good friends besides his own dear children. Has two sons, one is in the service of the C. & O. R. R. The other, Darwin, has not completed his medical course yet and was at Cincinnati at the time of his father's death. He could only get home in time to see his father's body laid to rest. Did not even get to say farewell. His daughter Miss Birdie was his youngest and was keeping house for her father. The writer was at their house several times since the death of Mrs. Callihan, and Birdie was always courteous and kind to me and all others that went to see them. She deserves much credit for the care of her dear old father and should be long remembered by her brothers and sisters. One sister is married to Dr. Gardner, a well-to-do merchant of our town. Another married Mr. Buck Martin, of Beaver, a partner of H. Fitzpatrick in a store in Prestonsburg. Ballard Carter, who married the other daughter is one of our best citizens. Mr. Carter and Dr. Gardner are members of the Masonic Fraternity. The writer is glad to say that all the families are doing well. T. W. Elliott.

IRAD.

F. M. McComis is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Emma Hayes of Adams, who has typhoid fever.

G. J. Whitt is improving.

Mrs. Sarah Short, of Yatesville who has been visiting her sick brother at this place returned home Friday.

Bascom Whitt is on the sick list. Married, on the 28 inst, Mr. Jay Carter to Miss Susie Ball. The groom is the son of James Carter of Sand Branch. The bride is the daughter of Elzie Ball of this place. May happiness be theirs.

Z. T. Moore is on the sick list.

Mrs. William Copley and little daughter are on the sick list. John Moore is also very sick.

Bill Jordan and wife of Catlettsburg are visiting relatives here.

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MAZIE.

Farmers are rubbing their hands around a good old fashioned fire, enjoying their "hog and hominy."

There was preaching at Elizabeth Saturday and Sunday. Rev. M. A. Hay was elected moderator for the ensuing year.

J. E. Skaggs, our hustling merchant, contemplates moving to Whitehouse.

W. A. Hay was talking of going to Medical College, but has bought a box of Indian Root Pills from N. Sparks and says he will try them first.

Jeff Skaggs has moved into his new house on Menifee Sparks' place.

We learn that Millard Fyfe put a new collar on Elder Crockett, a "Latterday Saint," a few days ago. It was made of four fingers and a thumb. See?

Lewis Skaggs, of Lewis county, was visiting here recently. Lewis cast his first vote Nov. 31 for Belknap and felt proud of the accomplishment until he got caught in a hollow log trying to catch a rabbit.

Lewis tried praying, but nothing would budge him until he remembered voting the Republican ticket, when he felt so little that he slid right through. Uncle Ed.

CHESTNUT.

The river is frozen over here at Chestnut Swirl and "Uncle Jack" had to move his store boat to the opposite side of the river.

Jeff Brown, of W. Va., is visiting relatives on Lost creek.

Charlie Preston, of W. Va., is visiting here.

Harry Fannin is preparing to go to housekeeping on Chestnut.

Fredie Fannin and wife visited their parents at Richardson Saturday.

T. B. Sansom and wife visited James George and wife Sunday.

John Murray and wife went to Richardson Saturday.

Work on the trestle here has about closed on account of cold weather.

Wm. Taber, of W. Va., has moved to Jack Beasley's farm on Georges creek.

Quite a crowd of hunters took in Thanksgiving about right here last Thursday. They killed several rabbits, but made quail hunting a specialty.

Let us hear from Cow.

Brudner Bones.

(MAIL ORDERS SOLICITED.)

WEEK OF DECEMBER 7th.

BARGAINS OF GREAT MAGNITUDE.

Monday we start another week of unusual activity and record breaking of sales, which has been the order for many weeks—last year's or last week's record is not good enough for "The Big Store." Every energy is exerted at all times to increase its usefulness and elevate the standard of the store's service, as evidenced by the interesting news of to-day's showing, which will greatly increase the prestige of our new departments and compel the attention of the shrewdest buyers.

REMARKABLE BLACK SILK SALE NOW ON.

JUST IN TIME FOR CHRISTMAS—A present for Mother, Sister or Sweetheart. Read this statement of cold facts: The entire stock on hand of one of America's foremost manufacturers of (Corticeil Silk Mills) Fine Black Silks at an unusual discount. It is without question the LARGEST SILK PURCHASE ever attempted in West Virginia. There are several hundred pieces, and only the extremely low prices tempted us. Come and see the wonderful display on our counters.

Our Toy Department is now Open, in Our Basement.

A PLACE WORTH VISITING. USE STAIRWAY. DOLLS, GAMES, ANIMALS, PLAY THINGS, FANCY GOODS.

Come in to see this magnificent display, and, of course, you will bring in the "wee folks"—it will be an indefinable and indescribable pleasure to them, and much they will see and show you that perhaps you overlooked. There is plenty to see, to admire, to enjoy and to please. Note the prices marked, they are irresistibly attractive because of their littleness.

THE BIG STORE. Valentine, Newcomb & Carder, BUTTERICK'S PATTERNS.

Huntington, - - W. Va.

Store Closes at 6 p. m.

CALL FOR DECEMBER FASHION SHEETS.

OUR NEIGHBORS.

Stephen Gammon, a deaf mute at Fullerton, Greenup county, drank a quart of common whisky at one time and died in two hours afterward. He became unconscious in ten minutes and never regained consciousness. He was forty years of age.

Two men were killed and one fatally injured in a collision between an eastbound freight and a work train on the Norfolk & Western road east of Portsmouth Sunday. The dead are Engineer C. C. Mitchell, of Kenova; Fireman Frank Sullivan, of Kenova; Brakeman Ellswick was fatally injured. Both engines were demolished. The property loss is \$40,000.

Representative Hopkins has received notice from the Post-office Department that service on the daily mail route between Salyersville and Caney would begin December 1. The service has been held up for some time because the department thought the bids for carrying too high. When Mr. Hopkins explained the difficulties of the route the department issued orders establishing the service.

Jackson, Ky., Nov. 30.—Lolan Bryant, aged seventeen, and his little sister, aged twelve, were playing at being soldiers early this morning, when a shotgun in the hands of the boy was discharged so close to the little girl that she was literally torn to pieces. The whole load even to the wadding of the gun entered the child's body, killing her instantly. The boy explains that he did not know the gun was loaded.

A wedding which occurred Wednesday night at the home of the brides father on East Fork, will be of interest to many of our readers, was that of William H. Hogan and the charming daughter of Capt. Ed Davis, Miss Theresa. Both of the party are prominent in society circles and belong to the best families in the East Fork Valley. Mr. Hogan is a splendid farmer and stock buyer and has a host of friends throughout the country.—Catlettsburg Press.

Mr. Landon H. Lawson, who secured one-half of the Courier Journal's capital prize of \$5,000, is from Pike county. He guessed the exact vote cast for "all candidates" in the race for Governor—439,267. Mr. Lawson is a former Sheriff of Pike county, was a member of the General Assembly at the 1902 session and is now bank clerk in the State Corporation Department here. He made his estimate a week before election day, with the assistance of Mr. Edward O. Leigh, Private Secretary to Gov. Beckham.

Mrs. J. C. C. Mayo treated the preachers of our town to an elegant dinner on last Tuesday. The following were present: Rev. Baker and Rev. Martin, of the Baptist Church, Rev. Williams of the M. E. Church and Rev. Craig of the M. E. Church South. The ministers were all delighted with the dinner, but were more delighted with what they found immediately after the meal. Mrs. Mayo had placed a five dollar gold piece under the glass of each of them and it is useless to say their hearts were gladdened. Mrs. Mayo never misses an opportunity to help the good cause of religion. One of the ministers remarked to

us today that it was indeed nice to be invited to a dinner and then receive five dollars for coming. The different churches of Paintsville are working in harmony which is very gratifying to our people.—Paintsville Commercial.

Incorporation articles have been filed for the West Virginia and Kentucky Fire Brick Company, of Carter county, with \$25,000 capital stock. L. S. Vincent and M. F. Christian, of Carter, and O. E. Burns, of Huntington, W. Va., are the incorporators.

Out at Durbin, Sunday, Gypsy Adams, aged 6, was probably fatally wounded by the accidental discharge of a shotgun in the hands of her brother Kibby, aged 16. He was cleaning the gun, when it went off, the charge striking the little girl in the side of the head.

A petition is being circulated asking the railroad company to make the station on this side of Paint Creek. It is hard to tell on which side of the creek the bridge will be built but one thing is sure, it will have to be built somewhere very shortly. It would be more convenient for our people to have the depot on this side of the creek.—Paintsville Herald.

Miss Emogene Bolt, of Boltsfork, and Mr. Demp Davis, of this city, were united in marriage Sunday. The marriage ceremony was pronounced by Rev. P. E. Thornburg. The bride who is a very handsome young lady, looked well in a dark blue tailor-made cloth. Only the immediate relatives and friends witnessed the ceremony. The happy couple will at once go to housekeeping here.—Ashland Independent.

Lexington, Ky.—Attorney John H. Johns, of this city, received a telegram from Little Rock, Ark., that the jury in the case of L. H. Hickey against the Choctaw, Oklahoma and Gulf Railroad Company, had given a verdict for the plaintiff for \$10,000. The suit arose out of an injury sustained by Hickey, while a passenger on the road about eighteen months ago, he receiving injuries which resulted in paralysis of the brain, since which time he has been at St. Joseph's Hospital. Mr. Johns is a native of Prestonsburg.

Huntington, W. Va.—Leroy Hill, a former policeman of this city, and Garland Bullington, a well-known business man, had a misunderstanding in the latter's place of business Tuesday and walked to the street, pulled revolvers and opened fire on each other. About four shots each were fired, when Hill fell probably mortally wounded, a ball completely penetrating his chest from right to left. Bullington surrendered. He was uninjured. Hill yet lives, but practically no hope is entertained for recovery.

Regarding the extract in the report of the Fourth Assistant Postmaster General with reference to the Prestonsburg, Ky., post-office, in which it is stated that the clerk hire was increased by Beavers regardless of the merits of the case, John W. Langley, disbursing clerk of the Census Office, and formerly of Prestonsburg (Mr. Langley's sister is postmaster at that place), says that he, in regular form, asked Beavers to increase the clerk hire, owing to a request he had received from the postmaster to the effect that the business of the office re-

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quired additional help. Beavers, according to Langley, allowed the office \$700, and this amount has recently been cut down to \$610. "Beavers, when he made the \$700 allowance, told me it was liberal, but not excessive," Mr. Langley said.—Courier-Journal.

C. H. Wolery and Miss Emma Hatchett, of Grayson, were married at Ashland Saturday.

Adam Harmon, of Pilgrim, accidentally shot him-self in the left leg, producing a very painful wound.

Cincinnati Markets.

CATTLE: Shippers \$3.50@4.60; good butcher steers, good to choice, \$3.50@4.25; common to fair \$2.25 to 2.85; cows good to choice \$2.40 to \$3.15; common to fair 1.25@2.25. Bulls slow. Calves, steady to stronger; common to large 3.50@5.75. Hogs, active; good packers and butchers, 4.50; mixed packers 4.35@4.45; common to choice sows 3.75@4.10. Sheep, extra 3.25, good 2.60@3.10; common to fair 1.50@2.50.

MADGE.

Miss Samant Nelson is very low with typhoid fever. Mrs. Georgia Roberts, after a long sick spell, has gone to her home on Little Blaine.

Will and James Haws returned from London, Ohio, last week. The infant of G. A. Haws and wife is thought to be better. Miss Lillian and Milton Bradley, who have been sick with typhoid, are improving.

Mrs. John Frazier has been sick for several days but is able to be up again.

Miss Lou Jordan, of Morgans creek, was here visiting her aunt last week.

Jerry Mancy and family have moved into our neighborhood. We are glad to have them.

Asbury Hutchison spent Saturday with his sister at Busseyville. The Kirk boys have completed a well for Robert Sturgell that affords lots of water.

George Haws is having a well drilled. Uncle Joe Hutchison entertained a number of the boys who hunted Thanksgiving.

Our school will be out Friday week.

Mrs. Mat Hall passed through here Monday.

The little son of W. J. Vaughan and wife has been very sick for a few days.

Dave Bradley, of Deephole passed through here Monday.

Vendetta.

SKAGGS.

Emery L. Holbrook made a flying trip to Flat Gap Thursday.

Mrs. Annie Phillips called on Mrs. Florence Holbrook Tuesday.

The schools of upper and lower Keaton met on Thanksgiving and celebrated the occasion with a march. The Supt., G. M. Johnson, was present and gave the schools an excellent address. All report a good time.

Miss Laura McKinzie, of Elliott county, is visiting her uncle, T. C.



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Advice to the Aged. Age brings infirmities, such as sluggish bowels, weak kidneys and bladder and TORPID LIVER.

Tutt's Pills have a specific effect on these organs, stimulating the bowels, causing them to perform their natural functions as in youth and IMPARTING VIGOR to the kidneys, bladder and LIVER. They are adapted to old and young.

Rose.

Miss May Holbrook was the guest of C. C. Holbrook and family Sunday.

Dr. Mead and Crate Webb were on our streets Thursday and purchased the house and lot of Hargis Holbrook that he owned in Flat Gap.

J. H. Holbrook, of possum hide fame, is out buying fur.

Mrs. Sarah R. Skaggs and son Landon are visiting her brother, Thomas Prince, in Rowan county this week.

William Ferguson, who has been in Arizona for quite a while has returned home.

William Rose, after spending the summer and fall with friends and relatives in Idaho, has returned home to his wife and children.

J. F. Mason, of Elliott county, was the guest of Emery Holbrook Saturday. Two friends.

GLENNWOOD.

We were sorry to hear of the death of Gert Childers, who died at Garner on the 22nd. He was killed by a tree falling on him. He and his brother were cutting saw logs. They had cut the tree off, and when it started to fall it jump-

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ed back off the stump and struck him. He lived three days after being hurt. His remains were brought here and laid to rest in the Coburn graveyard, beside his father and mother, who died a year or so ago.

Wesley Webb has sold his store to Dr. Hillman and F. R. Webb, who will move it to Dr. Hillman's place and there sell goods.

L. C. Easton made a business trip to Ashland last week.

John Pennington, of Cats Fork, passed here moving to Denton recently.

George Belcher passed here with over four hundred head of turkeys Thanksgiving.

Mrs. A. J. and Howard Webb were here last week attending the burial of her brother.

J. J. Webb, of this place, has moved to Ashland.

Carless Webb, who has been at work at Ashland for some time, has returned home.

Don't be imposed upon by taking substitutes offered for Foley's Honey and Tar. Louisa Drug Company.

BIG SANDY NEWS.

FRIDAY, DEC. 4, 1903.

Where the Cork Lady Flashed.

There was a young lady from Cork
Who didn't eat pie with a fork.
But her father was worth
A tenth of the earth,
So she made a great hit in New York.

Sullivans for new figs.

Sullivans for fresh goods.

Sullivans for new raisins.

Sullivans for new almonds.

Sullivans for peeled apricots.

Wm. Caperton is still very sick.

Goods delivered quick by Sullivan.

Sullivans for pure buckwheat flour.

All inside loaves of bread at Sullivan's.

Sullivan pays cash for eggs, beans, &c.

New beans, new peas, new everything at Sullivan's.

Fresh fruit constantly on hands at Robt. Burchett's.

Born, to F. H. Yates and wife, a girl.

If you want fresh groceries you should buy from Robt. Burchett.

Your Christmas dinner will not be complete unless you have a fruit cake from the Louisa Bakery.

Now is the time to invest in Louisa lots, and F. L. Stewart has some good ones for sale.

Cream Puffs that are fit for a Queen's table at the Louisa Bakery.

Jelly rolls that would make a man leave his happy home—at the Louisa Bakery.

A new line of clothing has just been put on sale at D. Brown & Co's.

Almond macaroons that would make a man bless his mother-in-law at the Louisa Bakery.

Lost—Hand-painted button belonging to shirt waist set. Return to News office and receive reward.

Bread, cakes, pies and everything that makes life worth living, at the Louisa Bakery.

Order your fruit cake now for Christmas dinner from the Louisa Bakery.

New line of the nicest and latest styles in all kinds of dry goods. Come and see before you buy somewhere else. D. Brown & Co.

FOR SALE:—A desirable piece of Louisa residence property. Large house and lot. Apply at the News office.

John Edmund Church, aged 19, and Martha Ellen Day, aged 18, of Millers Branch, were married at Ted Lockwood's on the 28th.

T. S. Salyer is building a law office for T. S. Thompson on the T. J. Davis lot, corner Madison and Main Cross streets.

M. G. Watson's fine residence is nearing completion. It is hoped to get it ready for occupancy about the last of this month.

The W. C. T. U. will meet with Mrs. Ella Sullivan in business session on Dec. 11th, at 2 o'clock. All members are expected to be present as there will be matters of importance to the society, that will be transacted at that meeting. Josephine Rice Pres.

Ira Wellman has recently made a number of improvements on his barber shop. The room has been extended and some new apparatus put in. He also has the new "Electric Massage" and is prepared to give up-to-date service.

T. J. Davis, the first cashier of the Bank of Louisa, and now cashier of the First National at Cincinnati, was married last week to the only daughter of the owner of a private bank in Ohio. We did not learn the name of the young lady.

The report that there is a case of smallpox at Torchlight is untrue, we are glad to say. Last week a woman named Rickman became slightly ill and feared the trouble was smallpox because she had been at Kenova a short time before. She is now well.

Four inches of snow fell here on Thanksgiving morning and covered the ground for several days afterward. This is the heaviest snow experienced here in November, at least for a great many years. The weather was also very cold, the thermometer registering eight degrees above zero one night during the past week. The river was frozen over on the pool formed by the dam at this place.

Jailer Al. Hays has brought in a statement from Moses Howard, an inmate of the jail, to the effect that Smith told him Hays struck him a hard blow on the arm and shoulder, barely missing his head. He said he thrust his pistol against Hays and told him to get back, but Hays grabbed him by the collar and both fell. Hays held him until help arrived. Smith says a "blow" would not go with the jailer and that he would have had to kill Hays to get away.

THE LECTURE COURSE.

"Story of Timothy's Quest" Will be Rendered Here Dec. 11th.

The next number of the Louisa Public Lecture Course will be given Friday evening, December 11. The Committee have been especially fortunate in securing for the evening Miss Mary Hester Crow, a reader of experience and unusual talent. So popular is Miss Crow as an entertainer that this was the only time on which a date could be arranged with her for several weeks. She is a graduate of the same institution, and was trained by the same teacher as Miss James, who so delighted her Louisa audience a few weeks ago. So great was her talent as a student of oratory that soon after her graduation she was chosen by the trustees of the Ohio Wesleyan University as an assistant in the School of Oratory of that institution, which position she has filled for the last three and a half years with signal success. In arranging this date with Miss Crow the Committee is fulfilling its pledge to the public to put back in each successive entertainment a large part of the proceeds of the previous number. The writer of this notice is personally acquainted with her, has heard her recite, and can testify to her ability as an entertainer. Those who were pleased with Miss James will not be less pleased in listening to Miss Crow.

This charming monologue artist will render her original adoption of Kate Douglas Wiggin's "Story of Timothy's Quest." This is a story of a different type than "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch," yet none the less touching in its pathos or sparkling in its humor, in the portrayal of both of which Miss Crow is equally at home.

She comes to us with the highest testimonials not only of the leading citizens of her home city, but of the press in the many cities and towns in which she has recited.

The Columbus State Journal says of her.

"Miss Crow carried with her to hearty sympathy, the most critical audience. She is a reader of great versatility; possessing a clear sweet voice, grace of action and a natural unaffected manner. Each selection was handled in a most artistic manner and was greeted with rapturous applause." Tickets will be on sale at Conley's at the usual price.

Hotel Brunswick Changes Hands.

The Hotel Brunswick, which was recently rented by W. E. Houston and Mrs. D. E. Cook, was turned over by them on Wednesday of this week to James C. Adams, of Cincinnati, brother-in-law of L. T. McClure. We are informed that Mr. Adams has purchased the property and will run the hotel. His wife is expected here next week. It seems that Mr. Houston's contract required him to give possession of the property in case it was sold during his lease. Extensive improvements will probably be made on the property.

Smith and Bowman Arraigned.

Special call at Police Court in the case of John Bowman and Bill Smith, alias Gills, who are in jail for attempt to burglarize, and shooting with intent to kill, at the home of Hon. Mordecai Williams, in the month of September. Gills asked for another judge than McConnell, but was denied the charge. Mr. and Mrs. Williams again identified them as the two men seen in their home at that time, making oath to the same. The prisoners having no representative, made no denial, and were remanded to jail under \$1,000 bond each.—Ashland Independent.

Postoffice Robber Held.

Moses Phipps, or Howard, who was arrested in Morgan county recently by a Postoffice Inspector and deputy Sheriff Jesse Cyrus, had a hearing Saturday before U. S. Commissioner M. S. Burns and was held to answer for the robbery of the Wilbur postoffice, which is located in M. F. Swetnam's store on Brushy.

Dr. Coase has his broom factory ready for operation and is delayed in starting only by the stock going astray in shipment. A practical man is already here to take charge of the plant.

LATER:—The material has arrived and brooms are now being made. We have seen some of the product and they are as good brooms as we ever saw. This factory will make all grades of course, but a high class of goods will be given special attention. This is a worthy enterprise and should be patronized by the merchants of this section. When you buy a broom ask for the Louisa article.

The Crystal Steam Laundry has experienced the difficulties and delays usually encountered in starting a new plant, and the proprietors have been much disappointed at being unable to deliver the work promptly. But it is said all the trouble is now over and prompt work will be the rule hereafter.

Vanhoose-Skeens.

On Thursday evening of last week the marriage of Mr. Add Skeens and Miss Emma Vanhoose took place at the residence of Rev. H. B. Hewlett, the ceremony being performed by that gentleman. Several relatives and intimate friends were present. The bride is a worthy and well respected young lady, a native of this county, and a daughter of Rev. Vanhoose, deceased. The groom is the popular clerk of the Lawrence County Court, well known all over the county as an efficient officer. He and his bride are the recipients of good wishes from friends of all neighborhoods. It had been reported for some time that this wedding would occur soon, and more than once the rumors had fixed the date; but they all missed the right time. The few friends present were notified just two or three hours before the quiet event took place.

The couple is at Robt. Dixon's now, but will go to housekeeping on Maple street, in the house recently vacated by James Pinson.

U. S. Court Postponed.

Smallpox at Catlettsburg Causes the Regular Term to be Called Off.

The following notice sent out to citizens summoned to serve on the juries at United States Court in Catlettsburg will explain the situation. Court was to have convened December 14th.

Covington, Ky., Dec. 1, 1903.

Dear Sir:—

On account of the prevalence of smallpox in a malignant form at Catlettsburg, Judge Cochran has thought it proper not to hold Court at Catlettsburg. You are therefore notified of the fact, and that you are not expected to be at said place in obedience to the summons as juror lately received by you.

Yours truly,
S. G. SHARP,
U. S. Marshal.

Inez Items.

L. D. Hinkle died of small-pox at Alma, W. Va., on last Sunday. Mr. Hinkle was formerly of this place and was one of our best citizens. His remains were laid to rest in the Nolan cemetery. The deceased has two brothers at this place, P. P. and Colbert Hinkle, who have our deepest sympathy.—News.

The News says the report is false that G. W. Jarrell had been elected Circuit Clerk of Martin county over W. M. Hale. The story said Jarrell had his name written on three ballots and that this elected him because he was the only man in the county possessing the necessary certificate of qualification—Hale having overlooked the requirement.

The Presbyterian Church is preparing to erect an Academy at Inez in connection with their church. The plan is to have a brick building that will cost \$4500. The citizens are asked to contribute the site and \$1000.

M. C. Kirk has the contract for putting up the street lights. Mr. Kirk says they will be put up just as soon as he can get some gas fixtures from below.

NEW PREMIUM OFFER.

Big Sandy News Will Distribute More Gifts Amongst Its Subscribers.

On Feb. 25th, 1904, we will distribute the following five premiums:

1. Lady's or Gent's Fine Watch and Chain.
2. Sewing Machine.
3. Latest Webster's International Dictionary, price \$12.50; or 15-vol. set Chas. Dickens' works, bound in cloth; or 12-vol. set Sir Walter Scott's Waverley novels.
4. One set each of Rogers Bros. silver knives, forks and tea spoons.
5. Fancy \$10 enameled iron clock, 8-day.

A number is given with each dollar paid on subscription between Aug. 24th and the date above mentioned. The decision as to the five persons who will receive the gifts will then be reached by the same plan that was used by the NEWS in making the award of the fine gold watch last May. Pay up and take advantage of this opportunity to get something for nothing.

BIG SANDY APPROPRIATION.

Washington D. C., Nov. 24.—The delegation from West Virginia and Kentucky have combined this year in an effort to secure an appropriation for improving the Tug and Louisa forks of the Big Sandy river in those states. Two bills have already been introduced for this purpose each calling for an appropriation of \$150,000 for carrying on work under the new project prepared by the army engineers three years ago. The bills now pending have been referred to the river and harbor committee. The amount asked for in the pending bills is not sufficient to start the work and carry it along until the next river and harbor bill is passed.

QUARANTINE

To be Established by Kentucky Against W. Va. Smallpox.

The Kentucky State Board of Health has instructed Dr. J. N. McCormack, its secretary, to notify the State of West Virginia that unless precautions are taken to protect Kentucky against smallpox patients coming from that State, a quarantine will be established. All who enter Kentucky will be required to be vaccinated. Dr. McCormack will act promptly, as the health of various Kentucky communities has been threatened by the incoming of smallpox sufferers from West Virginia. The communities of Kenova and Ceredo are unusually lax in their health requirements, and the instructions of Dr. McCormack are to have the sanitation of those and other towns improved as a condition of the agreement to refrain from establishing border regulations.

It was the opinion of the board that immediate action should be taken to safeguard the people of the State, and with that end in view the West Virginia Board of Health will be notified that a large percentage of smallpox cases have been traced to an origin in that State, and decisive action is imperative.—Courier-Journal.

HULETT.

There will be preaching at this place Sunday night by Rev. H. B. Hewlett.

John Wooten, who has been sick for some time, is better.

Born, to John Compton and wife, a 10-pound boy.

C. R. Layne is on the sick list.

Mrs. Mary Wooten and Lizzie Queen visited Mrs. O. M. Frasher last week.

Miss Sarah Chaffin is staying with her cousin Mrs. C. R. Layne.

W. M. Nunley and wife, of Princess, visited home folks Sunday.

Miss Susie Nunley contemplates a visit to relatives in Greenup soon.

John Compton, who has been very ill for the past week is no better.

Mrs. Bettie Frasher was visiting on Layne Branch Sunday.

Mrs. W. M. Bostic visited Mrs. John Compton last week.

J. E. Leslie passes here every Saturday with his huxter wagon.

Bascom Nunley has returned from W. Va., where he has been at work on a railroad.

Miss Ella O'Daniel visited Miss Susie Nunley Sunday.

Thomas L. O'Daniel, who has been laid up with a sprained ankle, is able to be out again.

Floyd Ogle visited his daughter, Mrs. Tillie Vanhorn, Sunday.

Alex Muters is visiting relatives here.

MIDWAY

There will be church at Morgan Sunday by Rev. Frasher.

Church was not held Sunday at Shady Grove on account of the snow.

John Large and Sylvester Derfield called on B. F. Carter Monday.

Millard Carter was on our creek Sunday.

Velda Holbrook is very sick.

Mertie Pigg is on the sick list.

Kate Grahorn passed up our creek Sunday.

Dan Elswick and wife visited at Henry Hughes Sunday.

Rechie Chaffins made a flying trip to Catt Wednesday.

Idea and Birdie Carter visited their sister on Catt Thursday.

Lottie Wellman visited Cora Carter Sunday.

Jess Sturgell visited B. F. Carter Monday.

Black Bell.

GOBEL STATUE.

Senator McCreary, chairman of the Gobel Monument Commission, has been informed by W. M. Adams, of Lexington, who is doing the granite work on the monument and Maret, of New York, who is to make the bronze statue of the late Governor, that the clay model is ready for the inspection of the committee. A subcommittee will go to New York to examine the model and report to the full committee. The Senator said tonight that the monument, including the statue, is to be thirty-five feet high and will be one of the handiwork in the State.

Notice To Tax-payers.

There are still a number of tax-payers in Lawrence county who have not settled their taxes. The law does not require the Sheriff to go and see tax-payers, and they must not expect us to do so now. We will levy in this month on every one who does not pay. This leaves you only a few days to avoid the extra cost of the levy. Come in and pay us immediately or take the consequences. No exceptions will be made this year.

For Sale.

The John T. Jones farm on Lick creek in Lawrence county. This splendid boundary of land will be sold cheap. Good dwelling house on farm just completed. Inquire of M. S. Burns.

Smallpox at Catlettsburg.

Catlettsburg has quite a number of cases of smallpox, but it is impossible to learn just how many. It is reported that no new cases have developed within the last few days. There have been six deaths there recently. The last was Miss Rose Blackburn, a young lady 20 years of age. A few cases of scarlet fever have added to the troubles of the city. The schools have been closed for a month and the people are now so aroused that the disease will doubtless be stamped out. It is the same old story of carelessness in the early appearance of the disease. People will not vaccinate until in the midst of danger, and officials are slow to take vigorous action.

"Logger" Norris, formerly of this county, is one of the victims. He is now recovering.

A special term of the Boyd Circuit Court called for last Monday adjourned without trying any cases, and the December term of U. S. Court has been postponed.

Lawrence county and Louisa officials should be on the alert. There is a severe type of smallpox in three adjoining counties and it will be remarkable if some of it does not get over the border into our midst.

A CENTENARIAN.

Death of a Woman Almost 100 Years Old.

Mrs. Juliet Chambers died a few days ago at the home of her son William Chambers, one mile from Louisa. Had she lived until Christmas day she would have been 99 years old. She died on Wednesday and the burial took place in the Bartram graveyard on Friday. The funeral was preached by Rev. H. B. Hewlett, of the M. E. Church South.

Notwithstanding her extreme age Mrs. Chambers was in good health and quite active up to a short time previous to her death. Her fatal illness started with a chill.

Mrs. Chambers was the oldest person in Lawrence county, and doubtless one of the oldest Methodists in the entire country, having joined the church at the age of sixteen. She was born in Logan county, W. Va., Dec. 25, 1804, and was the first female child born in that county. In 1820 she joined the Methodist Church, and when it divided she went with the Southern branch. She was married to Robt. Chambers in 1826. Nine children were born to them, five of whom are still living. Rev. B. S. Chambers, a very able and effective preacher, who died about three years ago, was her son.

Mrs. Chambers was an exceptionally good woman. She lived a quiet life, but was always thoroughly devoted to her religion.

PERSONALS.

I. B. Cookesey, of Soldier, was here yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. C. Turner were in Ashland Saturday.

George Gunnell has returned to school at Lexington, Va.

G. R. Burgess and H. W. Bussey visited Lexington Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. R. S. Magee, of Cincinnati, is the guest of her parents, Capt. and Mrs. M. Freese.

Misses Nell Stafford and Blanche Newman, of Catlettsburg have been visiting Mrs. Alice Rule.

J. R. Hays returned Monday from Lawrenceburg, Ind., where he spent Thanksgiving with his family.

Miss Charlotte Freese was called home Monday from Ceredo, W. Va., by the illness of her father, Capt. M. Freese.

Miss Hermia Marcum returned to her home at Ceredo, W. Va., Monday after a few days visit to relatives here.

Miss Heloise Thomas returned to school at Cincinnati Monday after having spent Thanksgiving with her parents.

Mr. B. F. Thomas went to Cincinnati Monday to remain a week or more on business connected with the U. S. Engineer's office.

N. & W. Railroad.

The Norfolk & Western Railway has commenced the laying of rail on the extension down Tug river and are bringing a large number of workmen to do the labor.

The grading on many of the sections is almost entirely completed. Just opposite Louisa the contractors are preparing to lay a mile or more of track, using the standard rail. They have a large lot to make at one end of this piece of track and a heavy cut at the other, and the track is being laid for use in transporting the dirt from one point to the other.

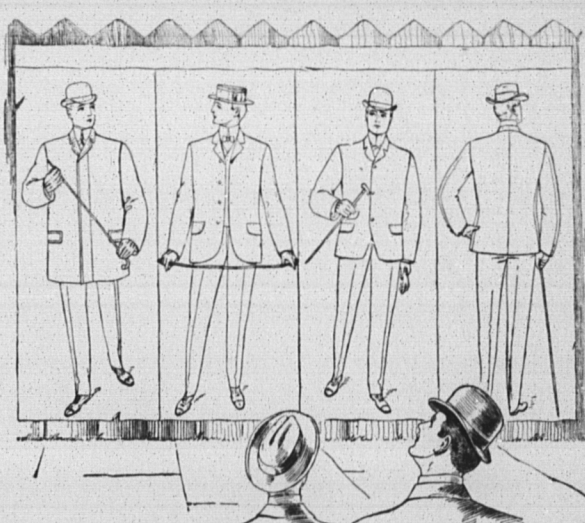
Apples Coming.

A car load of choice winter apples, Baldwins, Greenings, etc., will be on sale soon at Eloise store. Eloise Improvement Co. (tt.

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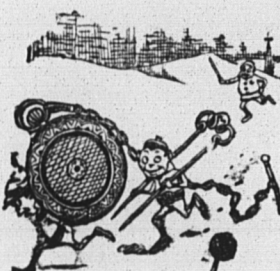
The best trade usually goes to the best merchant, and the best makers of clothing look us up—which is but another way of saying "two and two make four."



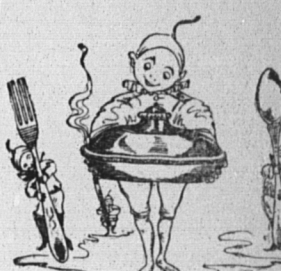
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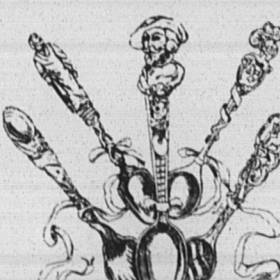
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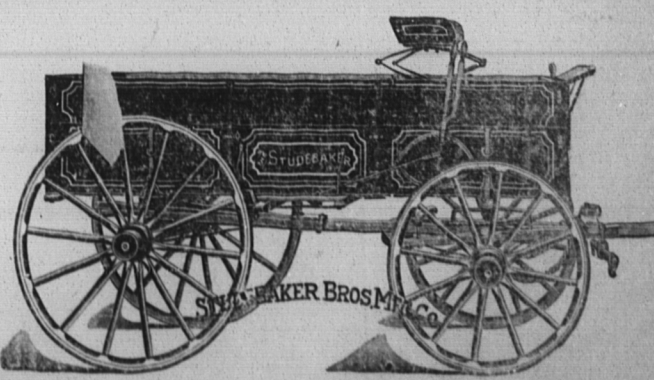
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The railroads, recognizing the importance of the Pastors' Sunday School Institute to be held in Louisville, December 15-18, have granted a rate of one fare plus 25c. for the round trip. All pastors will be entertained, provided their names are sent in by December 10. It is suggested that Sunday School workers of every class are expected. Board can be secured at reasonable rates.

For program and other information, address E. A. Fox, 19, Louisville Trust Bldg., Louisville, Ky.

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Service was resumed on all the lines of the Chicago City Railway. The company refused to reinstate fifty-nine of the strikers, who will appeal to Mayor Harrison and the Mediation Committee.

The Lone Star State.

Down in Texas at Yoakum, is a big dry goods firm of which Mr. J. M. Haller is the head. Mr. Haller on one of his trips East to buy goods said to a friend who was with him in the palace car, "Here take one of these Little Early Risers upon retiring and you will be up early in the morning feeling good." For the "dark brown" taste, headache and that logy feeling DeWitt's Little Early Risers are the best pills on the market. Sold by the Louisa Drug Company.

The principal feature of the present week in the lower house of Congress will be the announcement by Speaker Cannon and his committees. This announcement is expected on Tuesday. The Senate will devote the week to business of a routine character.

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All the blood in your body passes through your kidneys once every three minutes. The kidneys are your blood purifiers; they filter out the waste and impurities in the blood. If they are sick or out of order, they fail to do their work. Pains, aches and rheumatism come from excess of uric acid in the blood, due to neglected kidney trouble.

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EAST POINT.

Since "Jack" has submitted his question to others outside the clergy, I should like to give a few quotations from scripture on the subject. The question is: "are Christians in the kingdom of God or is the kingdom of God in the hearts of the Christians?" In the light of the inspired word it is clear that God's children are in His kingdom and also that His kingdom exists in the hearts of His children. "Neither shall they say, to here! or, to there! for behold the kingdom of God is within you"—Luke 17: 21. This verse teaches that God's kingdom is within the Christian. We also find this verse, "Verily, I say unto you, whosoever shall not receive the kingdom of God as a little child, he shall not enter therein." Mark 10: 15. Here it is evident that those who are saved enter into the kingdom of God. And again Jesus said to Nicodemus: "Except a man be born of water and of the spirit, he can not enter into the kingdom of God." John 3: 5. This verse teaches us that we must enter and how we do enter. These passages are best explained by other portions of the Bible which teach that there is a harmonious blending into one between Christ and his church. The kingdom of God is the church. Paul in his letter to the Ephesians uses the following language as emblematic of the relation between Christ and his church: "For this cause shall a man leave his father and his mother, and shall be joined unto his wife, and they two shall be one flesh. This is a great mystery but for us and the church. Here Paul wishes to explain the oneness of Christ and his church. On the night of his apprehension Jesus prayed that the members of his church might be one, "and the glory which thou gavest me I have given them; that they may be one even as we are one; I in them and they in me; that they may be made perfect in one, and that the world may know that thou has sent me and has loved them as thou hast loved me." "Neither pray I for these alone but for them also which shall believe on me through their word." Jesus was praying for the disciples and all who might believe through them which would include the church down to the present time. The kingdom of God and the church is the same. Then how many churches did Jesus establish? Only one, there are many denominations, but only one church. In talking to Nicodemus Jesus told him the only way to enter the church is through the new birth; no one can "join" the church. We can join a denomination made by man but we have to be born into the church. This is scripture. After entering the church by new birth it is necessary to go off and join some denomination? No. This causes division among God's children, and the Bible says "Let there be no divisions among you." Christ prayed for unity. He prayed for this "that the world might know that thou hast sent me." If there were unity today among all the professed followers of Christ the world would know a few things it doesn't know and it would feel the power of the unity of God's people as has not been felt since the early days of Christianity. Infidelity would surely seek a hiding place. One great cause of infidelity is the division among professors of the religion of Jesus Christ.

Many of the holiest men of the past have been opposed to sectism. Melancthon, the friend of Luther, on separating from the church of Rome, feared that the Protestant church would split up into many factions. His fears were well grounded for there are now about 600 denominations in the Protestant church. That holy man of God, John Wesley had no desire to form a new sect. He says, "There are already too many sects and parties in the family of God. Would to God the time would come that we would abandon all party names and divisions and sit meekly at the feet of Jesus to learn his will and imbibing his loving spirit." A. M. A.

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Those who will persist in closing their eyes against the continual recommendation of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, will have a long and bitter fight with their troubles, if not ended earlier by fatal terminations. Read what T. R. Beall of Beall, Mass. has to say: "Last fall my wife had every symptom of consumption. She took Dr. King's New Discovery after everything else had failed. Improvement came at once and four bottles entirely cured her." Guaranteed by A. M. Hughes, Druggist. Price 50c, and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

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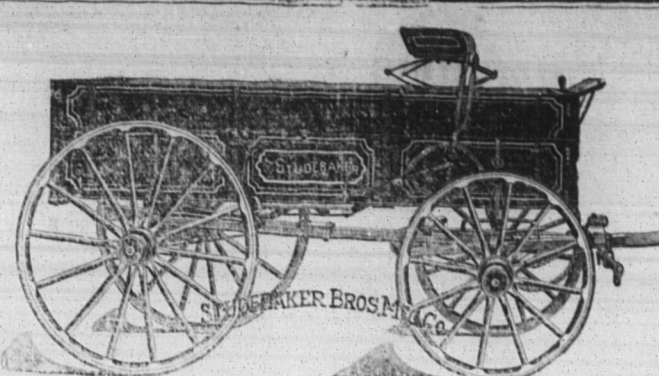
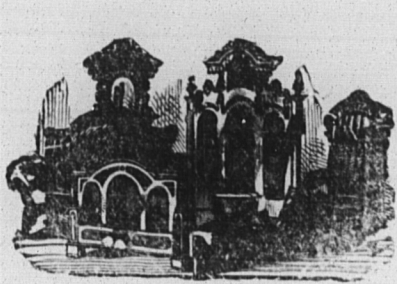
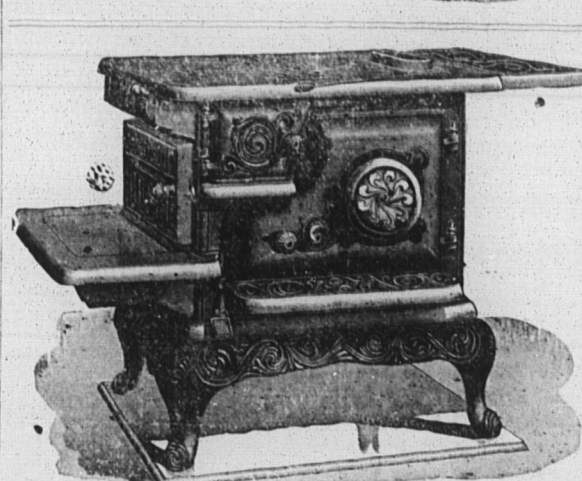
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Miss Martha, daughter of Prof. and Mrs. G. M. Elam, born Jan. 13, 1885, departed this life Nov. 15, 1903, aged eighteen years, ten months, and two days. She had been suffering for sometime from that dreaded disease consumption. All that loving hands could do was done, but Martha could not stay. She was too sweet a flower to longer bloom on this cold earth. Jesus wanted her to bloom in Heaven.

It was so hard to give her up. She was such a good, kind schoolmate, such a dutiful, obedient loving daughter and sister. Martha was loved by all who knew her. We do not ask the parents, brothers and sisters not to weep, for such would be idle words, but we ask them to look to Him who said "Blessed are they that die in the Lord, and their works do follow them," and Martha died in the triumph of a living faith.

To her schoolmates we would say, you cannot have Martha for your classmate here any longer, but if you prepare to meet her you will be her classmate in that great school where Jesus is the teacher. Then, dear parents and friends, look forward to that time when you can meet Martha in that City where there is no death, sorrow or sickness.

She is waiting, ever waiting For the friends she loved best And she'll gladly hail their coming To the Mansion of the blest. One by one the Savior gathers choice flowers rich and rare, And transplants them in his garden. They will bloom forever there. A friend.

A glass or two of water taken half an hour before breakfast will usually keep the bowels regular. Harsh cathartics should be avoided. When a purgative is needed, take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets. They are mild and gentle in their action. For sale by A. M. Hughes.

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RETURAH.

Misses Georgia Thompson, Vicie Hulet, Pearlle, Eva and Esta James had a fine time visiting Thanksgiving day.

Misses Lora, Dora, Web and Alma Roberts were entertaining their friends Sunday.

Misses Cora and Maud Nancy and Annie Rice are on a visit.

Bessie and Martha Jones gave a fine dinner to relatives Thanksgiving.

Misses Alice and May Cassidy and Mary Workman are attending school at Long Branch, which is under the supervision of Miss Eva Collinsworth.

Miss Goldie Short was visiting her aunt Sunday.

Ida Browning is visiting in upper Catt, Augie has gone to W. Va., write her brother.

Charley and Ed Church are attending school at Long Branch.

Marvin Short has sold his hogs. Rolan and Jessie Short are trapping for rabbits.

As You Like It

That is about the way The Mutual Life Insurance Company of New York issues policies in these days of varied requirements in business and family life. The postscript to a letter written by Mr. Ebe Walter, of Clarksville, Del., enforces this thought:

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